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PATENT

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Ferdinand KERSTEN  
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Appl. No.: 10/812,218  
Group: 3677  
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Examiner: F. Saether  
Title: THREADED BOLT HAVING MEASUREMENT PLANES  
FOR USE IN ULTRASONIC LENGTH MEASUREMENTS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 27, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 25, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.